

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR'S SIGNATURE FOR A RESOURCE ENHANCEMENT AND PROTECTION (REAP) GRANT APPLICATION BY THE CITY OF ANKENY, IOWA, FOR THE GAY LEA WILSON TRAIL EXTENSION PROJECT

WHEREAS, the City of Ankeny, Iowa is a project partner in the Gay Lea Wilson Trail Extension Project with the Polk County Conservation Board, and;

WHEREAS, the City of Ankeny intends to submit a Resource Enhancement and Protection (REAP) grant application to the State of Iowa Department of Natural Resources for development of the portion of the Gay Lea Wilson Trail Extension located within the corporate limits of Ankeny, and;

WHEREAS, the City of Ankeny hereby endorses the submittal of a grant application to the State of Iowa Department of Natural Resources to assist the City's connection with the Gay Lea Wilson Trail Project. This multi-jurisdictional trail project will be one of the premiere regional trail connections in Central Iowa and provide a vital trail connection to the City of Ankeny trail system and other regional connections.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Ankeny, Iowa, to hereby authorize the Mayor to sign said Resource Enhancement and Protection (REAP) grant application to the State of Iowa Department of Natural Resources for the Gay Lea Wilson Trail Extension Project.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 2nd day of August, 2010.

Steven D. Van Oort, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela DeMouth, City Clerk